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REF A, WITH THE CLEAR UNDERSTANDING THAT OPERATIONAL

MATTERS WITHIN THE PURVIEW OF THE MUTUAL DEFENSE BOARD ARE FIRST SUBMITTED TO THAT BOARD FOR RESOLUTION.

2. GIVEN PHILIPPINE INTENT TO CIVILIANIZE ITS REPRESENTATION ON THE JOINT COMMISSION, OUR MAJOR CONCERN IS TO PRESERVE COMMAND PARTICIPATION ON BOTH SIDES IN THE RESOLUTION OF MATTERS NORMALLY UNDER MILITARY PURVIEW. WE BELIEVE THIS CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF PHILIPPINE INTENT TO CIVILIANIZE ITS ROLE IN THE PROCESS AT THE JOINT COMMISSION LEVEL. THUS, WE HOPE TO PRESERVE THE MDB, AND ENVISION THE JOINT COMMISSION AS A BODY, WITH MILITARY REPRESENTATION ON THE U.S. SIDE, WHICH WOULD PLAY A QUASI DIPLOMATIC ROLE IN RESOLVING THOSE ISSUES REFERRED TO IT BY THE MDB, OR MATTERS WHICH ARE AGREED TO BE BEYOND MDB PURVIEW. KISSINGER

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